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79TH MAINE

LEGISLATURE

Three more veto and one general message were sent to the 79th Maine Legislature during the week just passed. The veto message of Monday was No. 8 of the session and was the Governor's disapproval of the resolve in favor of Hartland Academy. It was sent to the House, which on Wednesday sustained the veto, 133 to 1. The other vetoes were sent in on Friday, one on act to increase the pay of steamboat inspectors from \$4 to \$5 per day, sent to the Senate which unanimously sustained it. The other disapproved increasing the corporate powers of the Maine Title and Utility Co. of Bangor, action by the House not yet having been taken.

The message to the Legislature on Friday was on the subject of Prohibition and urging the General Court to reconsider its adverse action on the act to define definitely the percentage of alcohol in intoxicating liquors and place the State of Maine in line with New Hampshire and other free States, as well as with the United States decision, which permits but one-half of one per cent. of alcohol. The Senate passed a vote of thanks to the Governor for the message and placed it on file. The House took simply the latter action.

The Governor's veto of the act permitting the creation of a weir in Roque Harbor, Jonesport, was sustained on Tuesday by the Senate, an unanimous vote. The John Fleming resolve for payment for extra work on a Wisconsin road, was passed over the Governor's veto Wednesday by the House, 137 to 4, and the Senate on Friday passed the resolve in the same way, 24 to 3.

The Governor on Friday signed the resolve granting women of Maine the right to vote for Presidential electors, in the presence of a small but enthusiastic body of Suffragists. The Governor used two pens, the stocks of which were bright yellow, causing much merriment. One was presented to Miss Mabel Connor of Augusta, president of the State Suffragist organization and the other to Miss Anna Ladd Dingley of Lewiston.

House and Senate on Tuesday passed without debate a resolution by Sen. Cannott of Kennebec providing for the attendance of the soldiers of the 26th Division already at home to attend the reception and parade in Boston.

The District Alms house bill met its end Tuesday in indefinite postponement. The Constitutional amendment resolve providing for a bond issue for State public wharves and piers at Portland was passed by both branches and has been signed by the Governor.

Rep. Dutton's bill for the repeal of the entire Primary Election Law met defeat in the House Wednesday by the adoption of the "ought not to pass" report of the committee on Judiciary.

The bill for State aid for the town of Porter in building a new high school building, after a hard struggle in both House and Senate, went out on Thursday and the State will enter a new undertaking—that of giving assistance in cases of that kind.

The act increasing the penalty, or widening the scope of the law regarding the seizure and forfeiture of automobiles used in transporting liquor was killed by indefinite postponement on Thursday in the House.

The resident hunters' registration act is well on its way to final passage. The act for the taking over by the State of the University of Maine and the establishment of the State University of Maine was the opening wedge in this matter and a resolve was adopted Friday by the Senate for the appointment of a commission of seven from the Legislature to investigate the whole situation and report to the next Legislature.

House and Senate on Friday and Saturday passed without debate a resolve appropriating \$10,000 for the erection of buildings at either Hebron or Fair field for the care and treatment of tubercular soldiers, sailors and marines returning from the war.

The bill providing for a State Board of Examination in Osteopathy has been amended to a point where a satisfactory form was reached, by the elimination in the last amendment of allowing them to practice even any branch of osteopathy and the measure is now on its way to passage.

Senators Baxter of Sagadahoc and Gannett of Kennebec and Reps. Eaton of Rumford, Fagan of Portland and Munkie of Calais were appointed a committee for the revision of the laws relating to savings banks and trust companies and report to the next Legislature.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Service next Sunday at 10:45 A. M. Sunday School at 12:00.

Evening meeting, union service in the Congregational Chapel. The special service last Sunday morning, "The placing of the Flag," was a very interesting and impressive lesson in connection with the "Great Drive" now under way in all Universalist churches.

METHODIST CHURCH

Morning service at 10:45. Sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered, Sunday school at 12:00, Junior League at 3:00. Evening service at 7:00. Pastor will speak on some interesting subject.

Class meeting Tuesday night, 7:30. This will be the last Sunday of the conference year. A large attendance is requested.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Sunday: Morning worship with sermon at 10:45. Sunday school at 12:00. Union service in the chapel in the evening at seven o'clock. Topic, "The Art of Character Building."

The Ladies' Club will meet with Mrs. Upton, Thursday afternoon at three o'clock.

Mid-week service Tuesday evening at seven o'clock.

International Children's Week—1919.

April 27-May 4, Inclusive. A Continent-Wide Campaign to emphasize the Religious Education of Children, promoted by the International Sunday School Association through its auxiliaries the State and Provincial Sunday School Associations of the North American Continent.

Every community and every Church Sunday school should observe this "Week" and every community and church school interested in the uplift of childhood will observe it.

Write at once for complete information to the State Children's Division Superintendent, Mrs. Wesley J. Weir, Y. M. C. A. Building, Room 40, Portland, Maine.

APPOINTMENTS FOR YEAR 1919

Board of Health,

Dr. H. R. Tibbitts, E. C. Park, C. M. Kimball.

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Fence Viewers,

T. B. Goodwin, A. L. Grover, J. H. Swan.

Board Commissioners,

Frank A. Brown.

Signed:

FRANK A. BROWN, WADE M. THURSTON, P. B. HOWE.

Selectmen of Bethel.

SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION ON INCOME TAX LAW

As announced in these columns recently, a school of instruction on the income tax law for year 1918 as it affects corporations has been held under the direction of Collector of Internal Revenue, Seth W. Jones, at his office in Portsmouth, N. H., and the field officers attending this school are now reporting to their particular assignments throughout the New Hampshire District, which includes Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont. These officers will be located at principal cities and towns in each county of the district, and all corporations and individuals wishing information and assistance are expected to call upon them.

As these officers must be in a position to be reached by all taxpayers, the taxpayer must present his particular case to the field deputy at his office rather than to expect him to visit them, other than in cases where it is necessary that they might call at a deputy's office and had him out. These field officers will advertise extensively through the news papers and otherwise their exact location on certain dates so that their services may be available to every taxpayer.

FOR SALE

Wagon practically new, 2 bodies. Inquire of

SELECTMEN OF MASON.

BETHEL SOLDIERS

The committee on the soldiers' welfare are formulating plans as fast as possible. A list of the soldiers who went from Bethel has been made up and is given below. If anyone knows of a Bethel soldier whose name does not appear in the list, we desire the name given to H. S. Trueman, Bethel, Maine. It is desired to get a complete list. Please send carefully the list as given and note any omission and report same.

List of men in the Military Service of the United States, 1917-1918:

Annie, Roland Ellis
Arno, Ivan Winfield
Bean, Chester
Bean, Frank A.
Bean, Herbert B.
Bean, Wesley V.
Bennett, Henry Seth
Bliss, Ernest Franklin
Brooks, Dana Grover
Brown, Adolmar Raymond
Brown, Edward Hubert
Brown, Harry
Blake, Ralph
Blake, Leslie
Burhoe, Lester Maurice
Chapman, Alvin Edmund
Chapman, Perry
Chase, Harry Edgar
Clark, Albert F.
Chandler, Harold
Coburn, Leslie H.
Cummings, Byron A.
Cummings, Chester Arthur
Cummings, Herman H.
Cummings, Ray Alton
Cummings, Roy Irving
Goddard, Claude A.
Goddard, Gar
Grover, Bert
Head, Paul B.
Howe, Winfield S.
Hutchins, Vivian F.
Hutchins, Curtis P.
Kelley, James W.
Luxton, Lloyd Ellice
McKay, William J.
Maddix, Alfred
Merrill, Walter Chester
Mills, Francis
Mills, George
Mills, Robert
Moore, Roy Charles
Mason, Glenn
Maxim, Earl L.
Mundt, George A.
Neal, Everett Carlton
Peir, Joseph
Rich, Harold
Robertson, Frank O'Neil
Robertson, Percy N.
Silver, Albert
Shard, Theodore
Sloan, Roger
Smith, Philip M.
Spinnay, William
Espinay, Harry
Tyler, Howard
Tuell, Charles
Tibbitts, Dr. R. B.
Valentine, Carroll
Van Den Kerkhofen, Eugene
Wilson, Edwin L.
Young, Harry

LIBERTY LOAN NOTES

Confirming informal notices in the newspapers, the selling campaign of the Fifth Liberty Loan will open on April 21st, 1919, and close May 10th, 1919.

Although full details of the Fifth Liberty Loan have not been decided upon, the date of the notes will be May 26th, 1919. Payment will be required as follows:

With application (on or before)
May 10th, 1919, 10%
July 15th, 1919, 10%
August 15th, 1919, 10%
September 15th, 1919, 10%
October 15th, 1919, 10%
November 15th, 1919, 10%
with accrued interest on deferred installments.

Payment in full can be made on May 26th, 1919, the 10% required with application having been duly paid on or before May 10th, 1919. Payment in full will also be allowed with application, but without any rebate of interest, although there is a possibility that there may be a limitation as to the maximum amount of notes upon which full payment will be accepted. Payments can be completed on any installment date with accrued interest, but no completion of payment can be made except on installment dates.

Denominations of notes will be \$500 and registered notes, \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000, \$10,000. Registered notes, \$50,000 and \$100,000.

Details regarding the maturity date of first coupon, amount of loan, tax exemption, etc., have not yet been announced.

Fred A. Tibbitts, Chairman Liberty Loan Committee for Bethel.

Correction does not, but encourage ment does more—Guthrie.

GRANGE NEWS

BETHEL GRANGE

Bethel Grange held its regular meeting March 27. Supper was served as usual at 6:15, consisting of baked beans, pickles, white bread, butter, doughnuts, cookies, mince pie and hot coffee. Worthy Master Mason opened the meeting at 8:15. Minutes of last meeting read and accepted. The Lecturer and Treasurer were installed by Rev. Mr. Little. There was no literary program as the Lecturer arrived from Boston only a few days before the meeting and did not have time to prepare one. Closed in form. Next meeting April 10.

LONG MT. GRANGE

Charter Members' Day was observed Saturday at Long Mountain Grange, with the following members as officers: Master—J. L. Bailey. Overseer—L. R. Hall. Lecturer—John Talbot. Secretary—Mrs. Ella Damon. Treasurer—Oscar Damon. Chaplain—Edmund Bailey. Steward—Sidney Abbott. Asst. Steward—W. W. Perkins. Ceres—Mrs. John Bailey. Pomona—Mrs. Lewis Akers. Flora—Mrs. John Caldwell. Gate Keeper—Charles Lovejoy. L. A. Steward—Mrs. W. N. Akers.

The third and fourth degrees were conferred on two candidates. A delicious dinner of baked beans, salads and pastry was served at noon. In the afternoon the Lecturer gave the following program:

Singing, Grange L. R. Hall
Story, Sadie Bailey
Instrumental Music, Grace Clark
Solo, Paul B.

Tablao, Star Spangled Banner
Talk for good of the order
History of Grange for 25 Years, John F. Talbot

Report of Drama, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Thomas

Original Poem, W. W. Perkins
\$120 was taken at the drama, Monday evening of last week.

BEAR RIVER GRANGE

Bear River Grange held its regular meeting Saturday night, Mar. 29, with all officers present at roll call. Minutes of last meeting read. Voted to accept Bro. and Sister Clyde Brooks on demit from Upton Grange, also voted to reinstate Bro. G. H. Learned. A committee was appointed to arrange for an entertainment later on. Committee: Leslie Davis, Susan Wright, Adelle Saunders and Maenette Flint. A dance committee was appointed to set the date for the annual sugar cat and dance. Committee, F. L. French, Harold Bennett, P. O. Drinck. 40 applications were read and accepted and placed in the hands of the investigating committee.

This was the last meeting of the literary contest. Capt. Davis' side won by 175 points. About 60 applications and demits have been presented and accepted during the contest. Following is the last program:

Capt. Davis' side:

Quotations by all
Original Poem, Leslie Davis
Original Essay, Elson Hammond
Original Poem, "Ten Minutes Before Train Time," E. W. Stearns
Original Poem, Mrs. S. P. Davis
Original Poem, "Rose of No Man's Land," Sarah Stearns
Original Poem, Pearl Flint
Original Poem, "The Best Dressed Couple in the World," L. E. Wright
Original Poem, Mrs. L. A. Roberts
Original Poem, Darcus Melpherson
Original Poem and Music, Sarah Stearns
Original Poem and Music, Leslie and Earl Davis
Original Poem, "Telling The Kait," Ray Stearns
Original Poem, Van Roberts
Original Poem, "They Go Wild Over Me," Mrs. L. A. Roberts
Original Poem, Wilfred Kilgore
Original Poem, Roy Bennett
Original Poem, E. W. Stearns
Original Poem, Pearl Chapman
Original Poem, Arthur Stearns
Original Poem, Gwendolyn Godwin
Original Poem, Mrs. L. A. Roberts
Original Poem, "Getting Ready For Grange Meeting at Newry Corner," Carrie French
Original Poem, Florence Kilgore
Original Poem, Earl Davis
Original Poem, Pearl Flint
Original Poem, "The Nation's Pride," Gwendolyn Godwin
Original Poem, Sarah Stearns
Original Poem, "Bear River Grange Band Rehearsal," L. E. Wright
Original Poem, Pearl Chapman

GOULD'S ACADEMY

Miss Una Brooks, Gould's, '18, has been a visitor for several days at Hohl on Hall.

Several of the Seniors were in Lewiston, Saturday, to have their class pictures taken.

Miss Helen M. Staples, who has been spending the winter at the Hall, left for Hanover on Monday.

Miss Muriel Park, Gould's '17, and Miss Mary Gorman, '18, were visitors at the Academy on Tuesday.

Mr. Pollard will go to Boston on Wednesday to spend the vacation. While there he will obtain some new apparatus for the laboratory.

Eugene Van Den Kerkhofen has received his discharge from the navy, and is taking some special studies at the Academy in preparation for the examination to Annapolis.

RED CROSS NOTES

The lectures advertised for May 5th is cancelled, because Mr. Spear finds his voice unequal to the strain of a lecture tour.

Red Cross rooms will be open Saturday, April 5th, in addition to the regular days of Tuesday and Friday, in order that garments, or any sort of serviceable clothing, may be received. Do not hesitate to send clothing that may seem useless to you, remembering, that to some, it may prove all of comfort they possess.

Songs, Earl Davis
Declamation, Gwendolyn Godwin
Original Poem, "Old Fashioned Singing School," John F. Talbot
Capt. Saunders side:

Original Poem, "Grange Meeting at Pumpkin Hollow," Ferol Brinck

Musical, Ferol Brinck

Original Poem, Ferol Brinck

Songs, Ferol Brinck, Leon Emman

Original Poem, Harold Bennett

Recitation, Adelle Saunders

Original Poem, W. H. Wright

Original Dialogue, "A Mock Trial," Ferol Brinck

Musical, Ida Wright

Original Poem, "May Pole," Maenette Flint

Original Poem, W. B. Wright

Songs, Rita and Ferol Brinck

Original Poem, L. A. Roberts

Recitation, A. T. Powers

Recitation, Edna Smith

Original Poem, "Tug of War," W. D. Kilgore

Songs, Ida Wright

Original Poem, "Dumb-bell Drill," W. D. Kilgore

Recitation, Maude Bailey

Recitation, A. T. Powers

Original Poem, S. P. Davis

Original Poem, "Doing Our Bit," L. A. Roberts

Recitation, Ida Wright

Original Poem, "Three Little Girls in Blue," Percy Brinck

Grange called to order and closed in form. Next regular meeting will be April 13. Watch for the date of the annual sugar cat and dance.

DELORAIN A. COLE

Deloraine A. Cole, a prominent citizen of Woodstock, whose death came on Sunday morning, March 23rd, was born in that town on the old homestead of his grandfather, Capt. Jonathan Cole, sixty years ago.

It is nearly a century since this farm, located on the Hamford road, was cleared and a home made by Capt. Cole, who was a son of a Revolutionary soldier, Eleazer Cole, and of the sixth generation of the Cole family in America. This pleasant home, an old landmark among the hills of the town, was the home and birthplace of the father of the deceased, the late Abner P. Cole, who died in 1893. His mother, who passed away in recent years, was Julia Berry, daughter of Leonard Berry of Paris.

In 1887 Mr. Cole was united in marriage with Miss Myra Millett of Ashland, Mass., who survives him. Their only child, Orena, died in September, 1910, at the age of 18. His other near relatives are three sisters who reside in Massachusetts.

Mr. Cole was the first rural mail carrier on Route No. 1 and held that position for a number of years. Later he was appointed deputy sheriff for this section of the county. For years he had been a member of Franklin Grange and always had an interest in its affairs.

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NOTICE

The superintendent of schools will be glad to receive bids for the following conveyance for the Spring term: Middle Intervale to Bethel village, about eight children. North Road to East Bethel, about ten children.

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Green Mountain Seed Potatoes grown from Arcostock stock.

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NOTICE

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From this date I shall press all men's Crack-Jacks made-to-measure suits free of charge.

Work done by W. C. Garey.

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WANTED

One second hand light express wagon, also 1 second hand chamber set for sale cheap.

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85 acres, 50 in fields, 25 in wood lot, 10 in pasture; good land and buildings; 1 1/2 miles from Skowhegan Station; near electric; beautiful view. This farm is under a high state of cultivation and is one of the best in this section of Maine. Will include machinery, wagons, harness, hay, etc. Write for particulars and picture of buildings. Price, \$7,500, half cash, balance easy terms. E. L. BAGLEY, Skowhegan.

FOR SALE

Owing to the death of Roy D. Thurston and in order to settle his estate, the hardware business conducted under the partnership name of G. L. Thurston & Son is for sale. One half cash, the balance on easy terms. Best location in Bethel village.

G. L. THURSTON, Surviving Partner, Bethel, Maine, March 21, 1919.

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Fine strain of R. I. Reds.

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FOR SALE

Two shoats about 300 lbs. each. 16 R. I. Red pullets.

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NORWAY

Miss Mildred Noyes is spending a
few days vacation from Business Col-
lege in Boston with her father, Frank
H. Noyes.

Corp. Roland S. Noyes arrived home
Thursday morning after receiving his
discharge from Camp Devens. Sergt.
Wm. and Corp. Noyes and Corp. How-
ard L. Chick, who arrived home Tues-
day left the States with the 64th Regt.
Artillery, and have served in a number
of campaigns overseas in the Medical
Service.

Francis B. Andrews is spending his
vacation from Dartmouth College with
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert F.
Andrews.

Hugh Pendexter, Jr., is spending a
few days vacation from Bowdoin with
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pen-
dexter.

Albert and Arthur Bartlett, who
came from Bowdoin for a ten days vaca-
tion with their parents, Dr. and Mrs.
Herbert L. Bartlett, are at a Portland
hospital, one for an operation for ad-
hesions, and the other for removal of
tonsils. Mrs. Bartlett is ill at her home
with tonsillitis.

Carlton Barker is clerking at the
James Smith Shoe Store.

Z. L. Merchaut is in Boston and New
York this week on a business trip.

Albion L. Duck of the firm of Brown,
Duck & Co., has been in Boston this
week in the interests of the firm.

Miss Mary Gaudier, milliner and de-
signer for Pettengill & Perrault, re-
turned from Rumford last week for
the spring season.

Miss Ruth Elliott of North Waterford
last week of Mrs. Elizabeth
Manning, who has been in
Bethel, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carrier were in
Lewiston the first of the week to see Mr.
Carrier's sister, Mrs. Earl Parham,
who has been under the care of a
trained nurse for the past nine weeks.

M. Leon Kimball, who has been work-
ing at the Novelty Turning Co. plant
during the winter, has closed his labors
there and returned to his former po-
sition as plumber at Longley & Butts.

Mr. and Mrs. Allie Richards have
bought the Berliner stand on Water
street, and will vacate the Wood house
on Cottage street, and take possession
at once.

Harold Bailey, who lives on Park
street, has purchased the Lefterest Ma-
dams property on Deal street and will
take possession at once. Fred Lafrance,
who occupies the room on the first floor
will move to Fred Cole's house on Fair
street. Benjamin Goodwin, who lives
on the second floor will move at once.

Miss Mabel Walker has entered the
employ of the Advertiser office and is
learning to operate one of the Linotype
machines.

Mrs. Annie Frost, who has been with
her daughter, Mrs. Mabel Cairns, at So-
Paris nearly all winter, has returned to
her home on Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Albion L. Duck have
leased the Sampson cottage on Pike's
Hill, where they will spend the summer.

Fred Young will go to the Greenleaf
Camp, Sugar Island, as cook, for the sea-

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by local applications, as they cannot
reach the diseased portion of the ear.
There is only one way to cure deafness,
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dition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian
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flammation can be taken out and the
tube restored to its normal condition,
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which is nothing but an inflamed con-
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son. Mr. Young has recently returned
from the U. S. Service and is visiting
at Island Pond at the present time. Mr.
and Mrs. Greenleaf are making prepa-
rations to go to their camp, as the ice
will leave earlier than usual it is pre-
dicted.

Mrs. Carl Brown, Norway Center, is
the guest of her parents this week in
Bethel.

H. A. Knightley and Oliver Merrill,
who have been working for Joe Haskell
in Albany, this winter, have returned
to their homes at the Center.

One of the pleasant affairs of Friday
evening was a surprise shower given
Miss Annie Newcomb at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. George Robertson, Main
street, in honor of her approaching
marriage. The prospective bridegroom,
Donald J. Andrews, was "put wise"
by the instigators of the affair, and in-
vited Miss Newcomb to attend the bas-
ketball game. She was left at Mrs.
Robertson's. Over twenty young ladies
had gathered at Beals Tavern.

They stampered the Robertson home, carry-
ing with them a large basket, which
they presented to the guest of honor,
with instructions that she make imme-
diate investigation as to the contents.
Miss Newcomb was taken completely
by surprise. Although showers had been
the order of the day, this proved to be
a veritable cloud burst, as was found
on the removal of the wrappings of
the packages. Linen, cut glass, pyrex,
ware, dishes, silver, several hand paint-
ed pictures, being among the gifts. Bas-
ketball was forgotten for the time be-
ing, and guessing contests and games
were enjoyed. Light refreshments were
served.

The social planned for Friday even-
ing at E. of P. hall under the auspices
of the Daughters of Veterans was pos-
tponed on account of the inclemency
of the weather.

George Keniston is making a good
start at his greenhouse and has 4,000
tomato plants, and 2,000 aster plants,
well along. Celery and onions are well
started, and in the flower beds snap
dragons, pinks and petunias.

A mass meeting will take place in
the Opera House, Friday evening, Apr.
4, to talk over plans for the State Y.
M. C. A. drive which is to take place
from April 6 to 14.

The members of the Improvement
Club of North Norway were very pleas-
antly entertained the past week at the
home of Mrs. Belle Hussey and daugh-
ter, Miss Dorothy. The meeting of
Thursday afternoon, April 3rd, will be
at the home of Mrs. Emma Upton.

The schools at Swift's Corner and
Norway Center have closed for the
spring vacation, the first for one week
and the latter for two weeks.

The Chapman concert Saturday even-
ing proved as always to be the great
musical event of the season, and by
many was considered the best of all the
Chapman concerts.

Willey Kacampment, No. 21, I. O. O.
F., worked the Patriarchal degree at
the regular meeting Friday evening. Re-
freshments were served in charge of
John Brain, Harry Lovejoy and Horace
H. Cole.

Miss Dorothy Stimpson, daughter of
Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Stimpson, who is
attending school at Hebron Academy,
is having a ten day vacation, and vis-
ited her parents at W. K. Rice's over

79th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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COMMITTEE HEARINGS

Ways and Bridges committee on
Tuesday had but one matter before it,
the act to amend the law relating to
road patrolmen. No one appeared for
it. Supt. of Maintenance A. J. Wig-
gin of the State Highway Commission
said that he thought the commission's
present rules and regulations far more
effective than the proposed bill's pro-
visions would be. He also thought it
would cause dissatisfaction among the
patrolmen, by setting a delay in secur-
ing their pay, as it provided that no
bill for material or labor shall be paid
by the commission until approved by
the selectmen of the town in which the
work is done.

Legal Affairs—A. F. Moulton, a former
mayor of Deering, opposed the act
to amend the law regarding cruelty of
ficers, the chief objection to the bill be-
ing that it requires all such agents to
take examination before a board of
veterinarians. No one appeared for the

Friday night. Saturday, Mrs. Stimp-
son and her daughter went to their old
home in Waterford for a few days stay.

Mrs. Maude Rice, who has been in
Bethel and Waterville for the past
week, has returned to her rooms at W.
K. Rice's.

Donald Rice was in Lewiston for the
day, Saturday.

Paul Boynton, who has been very ill
with pneumonia, is improving and will
be able to be down stairs Saturday. His
uncle, George D. Gilmore, who has been
with him, has returned to his home in
Industry.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison C. Holt, who
recently moved to Norway from Bethel,
have gone to housekeeping in their new
home. Since coming to Norway Mrs.
Holt has been ill with bronchitis, but is
now fully recovered.

Miss Horn Tarr has been entertain-
ing her mother, Mrs. Joseph Tarr of
Lewiston this week. They returned
to their home Saturday, as Miss Tarr
has a week's vacation from her school.

Roger Sloan of Auburn was a week
end guest at W. K. Rice's.

James Stone of Oldfield was in town
over the week end.

Henry A. Bickford is ill at his home
over the Pletcher store.

Mrs. Perley W. Russell, who has been
at the home of her parents since last
November, has returned to her home at
Noble's Corner with her young son. She
has made a rapid improvement in health
the past few weeks.

Mrs. Sarah Curtis of West Paris was
a guest last week of Miss Abbie Curtis
at Charles F. Riddon's, Danforth street.

Miss Crystal Hamlin, who has been
spending a week with her parents in
Oxford, has returned to her work in
the Carroll-Jackson clothing room.

Mr. and Mrs. George Waters have re-
turned from a ten days visit in Ells-
worth and the southern part of the
State. Mr. Waters father accompanied
them, and will remain several weeks.

Mrs. Anne Carroll, who has been
spending the winter in Ellsworth, has
returned to her sons, L. M. and N. B.
Carroll, for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. True C. Merrill and Mr.
and Mrs. Edward L. Burnell spent the
week end in Portland.

Mrs. Albert L. Clark is making a fine
recovery from recent surgery, and her
nurse, Miss Crawley, has returned to
her home in Lewiston.

Miss Mary Whittegre, teacher of
the fifth grade, has gone to Lawrence,
Mass., for her vacation.

Miss Gertrude Foster has gone to her
home in Bridgton for the week.

Miss Marjorie Barker is at home
from Boston for a few days vacation
and is with her mother and sister, Mrs.
Gertrude L. Barker and Miss Genevieve
Barker.

act. Rep. Pike of Eastport favored a
bill that would allow judges of probate
to assign to the county treasurer pay-
ment of unclaimed pecuniary legacies.

Sen. Gurney of Cumberland spoke for
act to amend the law in regard to ap-
peals, giving the same right to take
exceptions in superior courts now en-
joyed in the supreme courts; also for
act amending the law relating to clerks
of judicial courts, providing for the
safety of funds paid to the clerk by
order of court. H. A. Shorey, Jr., favored
a change in the law to allow pub-
lishers of automobile lists to charge
more than 50 cents per copy per month.
Sen. Gurney favored the bill providing
for pensions for retired judges, elimi-
nating the "consecutive" term of ser-
vice from the requirements. Rep. Fag-
an explained a bill amending the street
sprinkling law so that assessments on
abutters shall be for water only. H.
P. Frank, Portland corporation counsel,
opposed, saying oil is healthy and
cheaper.

Judiciary—A long list of matters
were on the assignments. Judge Harry
Mansie of Auburn opened the case for
the proponents of the act authorizing
the issue of notes not exceeding \$500,-
000 to defray expenses incurred for the
construction of Federal aid highways,
hoping by the passage of this bill to
secure benefit of Maine's share of the
Federal appropriation of \$75,000,000 or
\$481,231. He was followed by Rep.
Miller of Auburn, speaking for the
Auburn Chamber of Commerce, in favor,
and L. B. Nelson of Portland, who
thought another method of securing the
money would be better, by borrowing
and the Contingent Fund.

Rep. Baxter of Portland presented a
substitute for the act to require har-
vesters and dealers in ice to be licensed,
stating that he had introduced the bill
by request and had just received the
substitute. Carroll Chaplin of Port-
land, Mayor Woodman of Bangor and
W. B. Newell of Lewiston all opposed
the bill as unneeded, for unnecessary
and an imposition.

Sen. Gurney's resolve to amend the
Constitution so as to provide for a bond
issue for the development of water stor-
age on the Saco river and an act for
the development of the same and for
other public purposes was explained by
the author. The bond issue asked would
be \$1,500,000, on which the people
would vote. Sen. Gurney said that while
he introduced the bill he did not draft
it nor was he connected in any way
with the Cumberland County Power &
Light Co. Gen. Manager A. H. Ford of
the Cumberland Power & Light Co.
spoke for the bill, saying his company
was ready and willing to assist in any
development for the good of the State.

Wednesday's hearings included:
Sen. and Shore Fisheries—The "Dou-
ble gauge" lobster bill was heard at
length, Commissioner H. D. Cris giving
his full approval. A. C. McLean of
Rockland, a dealer, also approved as
did Rep. L. R. Williams of Wells. Rep.
Hatch of Stonington opposed, with A.
C. Raymond in behalf of the fishermen
of Vinlandhaven.

Agriculture—Numerous persons spoke
for and against the act to provide for
co-operation between the U. S. Gov-
ernment, Bureau of Animal Industry,
for the purpose of making tuberculin
tests of all cattle in Maine used for
dairy, breeding or beef purposes. Rep.
Dean of Alton explained it as a step
in the better enforcement of the law
and the betterment of the stock. Rep.
March of Bangor, a veterinarian,
thought it perfectly feasible. Live
Stock Sanitary Commissioner Beane
thought it a great benefit. C. N. Blanch-
ard, representing the Maine Livestock
Association, Rep. W. W. Hiler of
Winthrop, a cattle raiser and dealer, F.
L. Brown of Hartland, a shipper, E.
Rep. Hall of Wilton, a shipper, and H.
R. Virgin, representing the Railroad
Administration and incidentally the
Maine Central, saw no demand for the
bill and no need for the proposed tests
of all cattle.

Thursday saw the last of the adver-
tised hearings of the 78th session of the
Legislature, the Labor and Taxation
committees meeting.

Taxation—Two matters relating to
the employment of miners were heard,
Commissioner of Labor and Industry H.
A. Eddy and his assistants explaining
the purposes of the measures and no one
appearing in opposition. The first heard
is a proposed amendment to the labor
laws, raising the age of children who
may not be employed in any mill or
factory during school sessions from 14
to 15 years. The second was to amend
the 57-hour law so that no miner may
be employed in any pool room or bow-
ling alley before 6:30 A. M. and 6 P. M.,
making it the same for those places as
new is the law for all manufacturing
and mechanical establishments and
laundries.

Taxation—Three measures were
scheduled and the committee at once
voted approval of the act to exempt
soldiers and sailors in the great war from
paying poll taxes for 1917-18-19. John
F. Dana of Portland appeared in be-
half of the receivers of the L. A. &
W. St. Ry., the Atlantic Shore Ry. and
the Portland, Deering & York Ry., ask-
ing that the excise tax on electric roads
of the State be reduced, in order that
they might have some relief from the
heavy burdens under which they are

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road, asking the same relief.

An extended hearing took place on
the act to establish a uniform tax on
certain personal property, the intangible
property tax measure, introduced by
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the hearing for the proponents. He
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property would under his bill be added
to the taxable property of the State
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led the opponents, which included a
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such a monument.



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Library—"Ought not to pass" on re-
solve to provide members of the Senate
and House with copies of the Revised
Statutes.

Banks and Banking—"Ought not to
pass" on act amending the law relating
to loans and mortgages.

Military Affairs—"Ought not to
pass" on the following measures: Act
authorizing cities and towns to erect
military and naval memorial buildings
and providing for State aid therefor;
resolve appropriating money for the
erection and equipment of a State arm-
ory for the use of the National Guard
stationed in the city of Bangor; simi-
lar resolve for cities of Lewiston and
Saco; on resolve appropriating money
for the erection of a suitable memorial
in the city of Biddeford, commemora-
tive of the bravery and valor of the sol-
diers and sailors of York county in the
late war.

The Committee of Conference on the
act to amend the law relative to the
use of automobiles in hunting wild
birds and animals reported an amend-
ment to the act, a substitution for all
after the enacting clause, and making
the bill read:

"No person shall have a rifle or
shotgun, either loaded or with a cart-
ridge in the magazine thereof, in or on
any motor vehicle while the same is up-
on any highway or in the fields or for-
ests.

"Whoever violates any provisions of
this section shall be subject to a pen-
alty of not more than \$100 and costs
for each offense or imprisonment for
not more than 60 days or both said fine
and imprisonment in the discretion of the
court."

Library—"Ought to pass" on re-
solve for purchase of 125 copies of His-
tory of York at \$2 each for distribution
in High Schools.

Ways and Bridges—"Ought to pass
in new draft" on resolve amending Ar-
ticle IX of the Constitution as amend-
ed by Article XXXV of the Constitu-
tion increasing the amount of bonds to
be issued for the purpose of building
and maintaining of State highways and
for the building and maintaining of In-
terstate and International bridges. The new draft changes the
purpose of the resolve from "build-
ing and maintaining" highways and
bridges to simply "building" the same.

Public Utilities—"Ought to pass in
new draft" on act to provide for the
jurisdiction of the Public Utilities
Commission over certain motor vehicles.
The act is known as the Jitney Bill.
The new draft instead of giving com-
plete jurisdiction over such vehicles,
provides that upon written complaint,

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THE HOME

Pleasant Reverie
umn Dedicated
Mothers as they
Home Circle as
Tide.

CANNING BAKES

I have often taken my
piled windfalls and say-
way. Wash, halve and
In the cavity place a lit-
a little cinnamon.
Bake as if for immediate
time the fruit is placed
put a saucerpan of hard
with water, over the fire
to a boil, being carefu-
When fruit is tender
fars and pour the syrup
out. Seal. Some very
you want something nice
table in a hurry, open it
and you will not be dis-
may be utilized in the
they are not good enough
serve in the ordinary way.

HINTS TO HOME

To "manage" a hus-
to him; look up to him
age, if you please, and
sincerity; since every-
good qualities—Make the
Flatter him judiciously. C-
he likes, but never let hi-
he is being managed, as
peace of mind.

The other night a bus-
invited to play a piano so
town hall. Not having the
the music beforehand, sh-
major mistakes in the
Two other women, profes-
but deficient in good bre-
themselves by whispers at
the player's errors, forg-
own ignorance. They k-
the fundamentals of one
great art of right living
heard even the n, b, c's.

The base old-age insur-
can have in his boys
he has raised them prop-
his hold on their affec-
turn are safeguarded by
to take any problem hor-
that father and mother
matter carefully and dis-
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discussion.

If I were permitted
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Every mother invents or
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the least expenditure of
effort—as superior to
solving—as is the modern
vacuum sweeper to the pris-
of twigs. I feel strongly
these devices—tricks—on
them, if the word trick im-
something dishonest.
possible to do your duty
dren and keep things plac-
same time. "Keep things
These words ought to be w-
ery mother's heart. In a

IN MISERY FOR YOU

Mrs. Courtney Tells
Was Cured by L.
Pinkham's Veg-
Compound

Oakbrook, Iowa—"For
simply in misery from a w-
nothing
domie
friend
to take
Pinkha-
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did so
had rig-
can be
come
able n-
other
suffer,
does a

work for me and I know
others if they will give it
—Mrs. LIZZIE COURTNEY, 1
West, Oakbrook, Iowa.

Why will women drag out
to day, year in and year o-
such misery as did Mrs. Cou-
such letters as this are contin-
established. Every woman
from displacement, nervous
flammarion, ulceration, ber-
cessness, or who is passing
Change of Life should give
root and herb remedy. Look
been a Vegetable Compound,
special advice write Lydia
Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.,
of its long experience in at-

Eat More Bread

Make it in your own home with

WILLIAM TELL

THE HOME CIRCLE

Pleasant Reveries—A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as they join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

CANNING BAKED APPLES

I have often taken baked apples, or picked wild ones and saved them in this way. Wash, halve and remove the core. In the cavity place a tiny bit of butter and a little cinnamon. Use no sugar. Bake as if for immediate use. At the time the fruit is placed in the oven, put a sauceman of karo syrup, diluted with water, over the fire, and let come to a boil, being careful not to burn. When fruit is tender place in Mason jars and pour the syrup over it, boiling hot. Seal. Some very busy day when you want something nice to put on the table in a hurry, open one of these jars and you will not be disappointed. Peas may be utilized in the same way when they are not good enough to can or preserve in the ordinary way.

HINTS TO HOME MAKERS

To "manage" a husband, be good to him; look up to him; do him homage, if you please, and this without insincerity, since every man has some good qualities—Make the most of these. Flatter him judiciously. Cook the things he likes, but never let him suspect that he is being managed, as you value your peace of mind.

The other night a busy woman was invited to play a piano selection at the town hall. Not having time to go over the music beforehand, she made a few minor mistakes in the performance. Two other women, proficient in music, but deficient in good breeding, amused themselves by whispers and smiles over the player's errors, forgetful of their own ignorance. They know, perhaps, the fundamentals of one art, but of the great art of right living they have not heard even the A, B, C's.

The base old-age insurance a parent can have is in his boys and girls, if he has raised them properly and kept his hold on their affections. They in turn are safeguarded by their freedom to take any problem home, and know that father and mother will weigh the matter carefully and find nothing too trivial or too improper for full, kindly discussion.

If I were permitted to write the eleventh commandment, it would read, "Thou shalt laugh." "One may smile and smile and be a villain," but one can not laugh heartily and sweetly and be downright bad. A good laugh will clear the cobwebs from the brain as nothing else can.

Poison is priceless to the woman who would fulfill her rightful mission of love and service in the home. To have poison must have a disciplined mind and a generous, unbiased outlook on life. Poison is a serene, steadfast condition of mind which makes a woman mistress of herself.

Every mother invents or stumbles upon a short cut to manners and morals. Little ways of training her children with the least expenditures of friction and effort—as superior to old-fashioned scolding—as is the modern motor vacuum sweeper to the primitive bundle of twigs. I feel strongly the value of these devices—tricks one might call them, if the word trick did not suggest something dishonest. They make it possible to do your duty to your children and keep things pleasant at the same time. "Keep things pleasant!" These words ought to be written on every mother's heart. In sensitive nature.

IN MISERY FOR YEARS

Mrs. Courtney Tells How She Was Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Oakbrook, Iowa.—"For years I was simply in misery from a weakness and



work for me and I know it will help others if they will give it a fair trial."—Mrs. LIZZIE COURTNEY, 108 8th Ave., West, Oakbrook, Iowa.

Why will women drag along from day to day, year in and year out, suffering such misery as did Mrs. Courtney, when such letters as this are continually being published? Every woman who suffers from displacements, irregularities, inflammation, ulceration, backache, nervousness, or who is passing through the Change of Life should give this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its long experience is at your service.

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Extraordinary Values in all departments.

The most important merchandising and money saving event that Maine is likely to see this year.

Sale ends on Saturday evening, April 5th.

DO NOT MISS IT!

It will pay you well to come.

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friction kills love; in all it blunts and dims it.

We give much time to removing objectionable places of amusement from our children's reach and this is necessary. But there is another way of getting at the problem which is quite as efficacious and adds a greater protection. Why not vaccinate the children against objectionable amusement by giving them the virus of a higher standard of desire? Who really knows and loves music even though it be merely the listening to mechanical playthings, is really held by cheap vaudeville and rag-time music? The child who knows the great masters and loves them, who thinks of music as a natural part of home life, is not going to care for poor music after the first novelty wears off. He will be bored by it and boredom is the greatest vaccine against acquiring any habit.

During pioneer days in Western Kansas, wheat flour was hard to get, but corn was plentiful and cheap and corn bread was the "staff of life." In one poor home there was a tiny boy named Ora. Whenever any one asked him what he was going to do when he got to be a man, he always said "I am going to buy me a biscuit!"

A wife who understands her part, And fashions good and toothsome dishes, Would conquer any husband's heart, And bend him to her wishes.

No brides can scarcely overrate A cookery certificate. A varied daily bill of fare Acts as a potent antiseptic.

And helps the temper of a man Who rages when he feels dyspeptic. But wedded bliss soon comes to grief With cold potatoes and cold beef."

HAPPY, WHOLESOME CHILDHOOD

By Jennie R. Palmer

One of the essentials is good parentage. Not having all that could be desired in the way of ancestors, make the most of what you have in hand. The mother must be pure and sweet and must harbor only good thoughts. Do kindly deeds, Trust God, be optimistic. Give your unborn babe the benefit of these. Then when he comes to dwell with the other members of your house hold do not think your duty is done when you feed and clothe him.

You can teach your child to be truthful by being truthful yourself. Teach purity by living it, in word and deed. If you wish your child to refrain from the use of profanity, by words and along, do not indulge in them yourself. Be polite and gentle to the little child. Be honest in your dealings with him and true to the promises you make him. How accomplish all that by the line up on him, except upon precept, here a little, there a little.

THE RIDGELEY PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION, WORCESTER, MASS.

Assets Dec. 31, 1918

Stocks and Bonds, \$193,503.36
Cash in Office and Bank, 33,930.80
Interest and Rents, 11,192.09

Gross Assets, \$248,626.25

Deduct items not admitted, 43,321.44

Admitted Assets, \$205,304.81

Liabilities Dec. 31, 1918

Net Unpaid Losses, \$181,236.28

Unearned Premiums, 72,958.82

All other Liabilities, 31,980.75

Cash Capital, 100,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, 141,211.11

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$407,387.84

LOCKE'S MILLS

Thomas Brown of Bethel was in town Thursday calling on friends.

Lester Tebbets has received his honorable discharge and came home, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maxim and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Merrill were in Norway, Tuesday, to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. Helen Bryant and Mrs. Nell Moody were in Bryant's Pond, Tuesday.

Harry Brown of West Bethel is a guest of his sister, Mrs. Arthur Chapman.

Mrs. Clara Brown is visiting relatives in Bethel.

Elmer Fluke and family are entertaining relatives from away.

Mrs. Earl Farrington and Bertha Bartlett attended the funeral of Dolores Cole at Bryant's Pond, Tuesday.

Mrs. C. E. Stowell is quite ill.

Several from here attended the prize speaking at Bryant's Pond, Wednesday.

Elden Goodwin is moving his family to Norway.

RICHARDSON HOLLOW GREENWOOD

Freeman Cooper is working for John Noyes.

Arthur Noyes has had a very sick horse. Dr. Merrill of South Paris attended it.

E. W. Penley was in town one day recently.

Tom Heikkinen has bought a wood sawing outfit. He uses his auto engine for power.

G. W. Richardson has bought a pure bred Holstein cow of L. E. McFarlane.

Henry White is cutting wood for W. E. Penley.

The sap season has been very poor so far.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Richardson attended Grange at Norway, Saturday.

Mrs. W. E. Penley and son, Albert, were in Norway, recently, to get him some glasses.

Leadall Yates of West Paris was in town, Monday, looking for real calves.

W. E. Penley and his father, E. W. Penley, have been putting their pine logs in the river.

Ross Martin and Fred Waterhouse are papering and painting for Mrs. G. W. Richardson and Mrs. W. E. Penley.

When Children are Teething

And cry out at night, are feverish, and their bowels become irregular, mothers should have on hand a package of Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. They are a quick relief and harmless. Used by mothers for over 30 years. They break up colic, move and regulate the bowels and act as a gentle tonic. They never fail. Sold by druggists everywhere. Ask for

HOLYOKE MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO., Salem, Mass.

Assets Dec. 31, 1918

Real Estate, \$35,000.00

Stocks and Bonds, \$13,561.00

Cash in Office and Bank, 9,638.21

Agents' Balances, 28,612.72

Interest and Rents, 12,767.87

All other Assets, 1,519.04

Gross Assets, \$99,138.84

Deduct items not admitted, 53,412.14

Admitted Assets, \$45,726.70

Liabilities Dec. 31, 1918

Net Unpaid Losses, \$3,587.29

Unearned Premiums, 389,544.27

All other Liabilities, 30,239.93

Guaranty Cash Capital, 100,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, 411,273.08

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$827,707.81

Agents: W. J. WHEELER & CO., South Paris, Maine.

REMPFORD FALLEN INS. AGENCY, Remond Falls, Maine.

WALLACE K. TARBON, Fryeburg, Maine.

CANTON

Albert Standish Sampson passed away March 25th after an illness of several months caused by lead poisoning. He was born in Hartford and was 66 years of age. His parents were Standish and Sarah Walker Sampson. About forty-five years ago he married Miss Phoebe Lucas, daughter of Amasa and Mary Jane (Larrabee) Lucas, who survives, together with four children, Elsie Sampson of Jay Bridge, Mrs. Raymond Witham of Gilbertville, Carroll Sampson of East Dixfield, and Guy Sampson, who lives at home. Eight grandchildren also survive. Mr. Sampson has lived in Hartford the greater part of his life, but had lived in Weld for a dozen years before settling in Canton. He was a successful farmer, an occupation he followed through life. He was respected by all and a husband and father he was most devoted. The funeral was held Thursday at the home, Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes officiating. The interment was at Hartford. A large number of relatives and friends attended the funeral.

Guy Fuller Boothby died at his home Wednesday evening, after a short illness with pneumonia, following influenza. Mr. Boothby had been in frail health for some time, suffering from asthma. He was born in North Livermore, the son of Victor Fuller and Lulu Pomeroy Fuller and was nearly 28 years of age. When he was a small boy his mother died, leaving six or seven young children. He was adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Boothby, who loved and cared for him as their own, and who survive. Eight years ago he married Miss Katherine L. Wording, an adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace W. Rose, who survives, together with two little daughters, Phyllis and Barbara. Mr. Boothby was an energetic farmer and carried on the large farm formerly owned by W. W. Rose, as well as one adjoining. He dealt largely in Jersey stock and had a herd of twenty-five of the best. He was an enterprising, hard-working man, and possessed a happy disposition. The death is particularly sad, as his wife and two children are very ill with the influenza. The funeral was held Saturday at the home, Rev. Mr. Vanner of Lewiston officiating. The floral tributes were many and beautiful. The interment was at Breton's Mills. Among the out-of-town people who attended were Victor Fuller, Frank H. Boothby, Harry Briggs and Mrs. Vivian Millett and son. Roy F. Wales went to Boston, Monday and will go from there to New York.

Bertram Hussey is ill with pneumonia. No more services will be held at the Universalist church until Easter, when Rev. Dwight A. Hall, State Supt. of the Universalist Churches of Maine, will supply.

Linnwood Darrington has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Bertha Jenkins of Portland and Mrs. Stella Fletcher of Waterville.

John A. Hedge Relief Corps served a public dinner Tuesday of this week. The proceeds are to go for the memorial fund.

Miss Ruth Richardson returned to Boston, Saturday, to resume her studies at Boston University.

The students of the Junior class of Canton High school gave the amusing drama, "Mr. Bob," Friday evening at the Opera House, to a fair-sized audience, considering the stormy night. All took their parts well and did credit to themselves and instructor, Mrs. James DeWaver. A dance followed with music by the Pigeon Orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Carver have been visiting in Dixfield, guests of G. W. Oudine.

Rollo Hines and family have moved to the Wright house.

Sergeant Albert Wesley Tirrell and wife have been guests at the home of his uncle, A. F. Hayford. Mr. Tirrell was on a four days furlough, and expects soon to be discharged from the service.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Johnson entered in at what Tuesday evening, F. B. Woodward secured the prize and Miss Ora Woodward the consolation prize.

The guarantee has been lifted from the name of A. F. Carter.

Clayton Morrow, who has been ill with double pneumonia, is convalescing. At a meeting of Evergreen Chapter, No. 24, O. E. S., Tuesday evening the week was conferred on two candidates. A fine supper was served at the close.

Miss Hope Burdett of Bath is a guest of her friend, Mrs. Mary Woodward.

Fred Lowell is learning the barber's trade.

Miss Ruth Johnson has been at home from Lewiston on a visit.

Gerard Rose of Biddeford has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Annie T. Rose, and uncle, Geo. Rose, and family.

Mrs. Merle Adams has returned from the C. M. G. Hospital.

The two children of Oscar Hardy are ill with influenza.

Many of the children in town are having whooping cough.

The next meeting of the Universalist Trade will be held with Mrs. Philina Street.

Miss Mrs. Feller has closed her school at South Livermore and returned home.

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The Citizen Office

Anasagaticook Lodge and Pocomtucket Lodge are planning to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Odd Fellowship on April 26th. The committee of arrangements are: Frank H. Woodward, John Dillon, Clarence Swett, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Lucas and Mrs. George Gandy.

Mr. M. B. Packard has been visiting his son, A. M. Packard, and family of Rumford.

Blacks Sampson has sold ten cows to P. C. Barker of Hebron.

Norman Hutchinson of Dixfield has been a guest of his grandmother, Mrs. B. C. Ladden.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin have moved to their new home at Canton Point.

E. G. Small has purchased the Allen house on Pleasant street, where he resides.

The friends of Miss Martha Lathrop of Manchester, N. H., recently sent her a post card shower. Miss Lathrop is a native of Canton.

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RUMFORD

George Cross, who recently returned from overseas, has resumed his former position in the Oxford mill.

Mrs. B. E. Austin and twin daughters, Vivian and Lillian, are spending this week in Bethel, the guests of Mrs. Austin's mother.

Mrs. Frances Rowe is suffering with a carbuncle on her upper lip.

Mrs. B. E. Carroll will spend Easter with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Roulard of Boston are the guests of Mrs. Roulard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mixer, of Knox street.

Mr. John S. Danksin of Cambridge is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. L. E. Williams, of Knox street.

Adam Young has gone to Portland where he is to work for the Maine Central railroad.

The public schools of Rumford are closed this week for their Easter vacation.

Mrs. Gerald Gaudin is enjoying a few weeks vacation from her duties in the office of the Continental Paper Bag mill.

John McMaster, who attends Hebrew Academy, is at his home on Somerset street, suffering with a broken arm.

Rev. J. G. Gilbert is suffering with a carbuncle on the back of his neck.

Harold Mortenson, who enlisted in the Trench Mortar Battery, and has been with the "Y. D." in France the past year and a half, has returned to Rumford.

Miss Agatha Bulger is visiting her sister in Bethel.

Mrs. Harry Marx is the guest of relatives in Boston.

The officers of the L. O. O. M. have been installed for the coming year as follows: Joe Clough, Dictator; H. McKenna, Vice Dictator; Chabot, Past Dictator; William E. Cyr, Secretary; Harry Marx, Treasurer.

Leroy Williams, superintendent of schools, has purchased a piece of land on the shore of Howard Pond, and will have a cottage built.

Arthur Bedard, who for several months has been at the Bethel sanatorium, has returned to his home in town.

The selectmen have ruled that no restaurant or lunch room can any longer deal in fruit and canned goods. This ruling will effect all the restaurants, and some of the fruit stores. Henceforth "hot dogs" cannot be sold by any fruit dealer.

Miss Mattie Brooks, who has been cashier at the E. K. Day Company store for several years past, leaves town soon for her old home in Corinna, Maine, where she will care for her parents who are in poor health.

Peter Perry, the proprietor of the Exchange street pool room, was one of the winners in the battle of four contest that has been carried on by the Portland Argus. The club will start for France on July 1st and will enjoy the nights on the battlefields of France for three months. All expenses will be paid by the Argus.

George R. Ashworth, a former Rumford lawyer, who entered the United States service in the Judge Advocate's department in Washington last November, has been commissioned a first lieutenant in the Judge Advocate's department, and will soon go to France or Siberia.

The total receipts by the Rumford Lyceum were \$721.50, and the total expenditures \$526.12, leaving a balance of \$195.38 which has been paid to the local chapter of the Red Cross.

In the casualty list of last week was the name of Corporal Joseph Farrell of Rumford. Corporal Farrell died from wounds received while in action.

Bertie Cook of this town, who recently returned from duty in France, is working in the electric car barn in Portland as machinist.

Clifton Dexter of Bethel has been engaged as director of the Rumford

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land, and assumed his new duties this week. He is a good cornetist, and also plays the saxophone, trap drums and xylophone.

According to a well founded rumor, Rumford is to have a new industry of large proportions. The rumor is to the effect that a box mill is to be built near the pumping station in the Virginia District. Rumor also states that from the beginning at least 600 men will be employed.

Mr. W. A. Clough has been nominated as town chairman to direct the Y. M. C. A. drive which starts April 7th.

There is a rumor about town to the effect that a Keith theatre is soon to be built in town, on the lot directly behind the National Bank building, fronting on Hartford street. The seating capacity contemplated is for twelve hundred people.

At the meeting of the Village Corporation last week, A. E. Stearns was voted moderator. The sum of \$10,000 was voted to maintain the police force. The Corporation voted to raise \$500 (the same as last year) for free public concerts by the Rumford Band Association. It was also voted to reimburse Clifford P. Stout for damages to his automobile caused by being run into by the fire truck while on duty. It was voted to fix eight hours as the working day for all police officers, and all others employed by the Rumford Village Corporation. Article 18 "To see if the Corporation will vote to purchase an automobile to be used as a patrol wagon for the police department, and how much money the Corporation will vote to raise for same" was passed over after much talk. \$1,000 was voted for necessary repairs on the fire station.

Prof. Bennett D. Charron of the High school faculty is taking the local school census.

Herbert F. Grant is the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Cooper.

The engagement is announced of Miss Devora Eaman of Rumford and Mr. Joseph D. Head of Auburn.

The news of the recent death of Robert C. Chaboureaux of Newport has come to Rumford friends of Mrs. Chaboureaux who was Miss Flora Boyd, and for several years was a teacher in the Rumford school. Mrs. Chaboureaux's mother, Mrs. Olive Boyd, of East Newport recently passed away, leaving her doubly bereaved.

The Knights and Ladies of Strathglass Commandery, No. 21, Knights Templar, enjoyed a social time on Thursday evening of last week at the Masonic club rooms, details of which were under the direction of Sir Knights Peterson of Hotel Rumford, and James Shea, Music for the occasion was furnished by the Shea Orchestra, and was much enjoyed by all. Mr. Frank, teacher of Manual Training in the Rumford High school, rendered several musical numbers in a fine manner, with Miss Marguerite McKenzie as accompanist. Mrs. Elsie Ireland, instructor of elocution in the Rumford High school, gave several readings in a highly pleasing manner, much appreciated by all present. At the conclusion of the entertainment feature, tables were set for whist, of the good old variety, much fun being created. Prizes were given to both ladies and gentlemen. Mr. Fred J. Latham drew the first prize for gentlemen, and Mr. Louis O. Paine got second gentleman's prize. Mrs. Fred J. Latham drew first prize for ladies, and a remonial of a candlestick. Mrs. Paine got the second prize for ladies. Punch was served at all times, with ice cream, cake and coffee.

several young ladies.

At a special convocation of Strathglass Commandery, No. 21, Knights Templar, held on Monday evening of this week the Red Cross degree was worked on Dr. Harry Kilburn and Leon O. Paine.

Mrs. Harry Toner and son, Payson, formerly of this town but now of Bangor, are the guests of Mrs. Harris in

ANDOVER

Carl Anderson from the University of Maine was a guest of Ralph Thurston and wife last week.

Henry Howard of Bowdoin College is at his home for a few days' vacation.

Y. A. Thurston returned Saturday from a visit with his son, Cedric Thurston and wife at Wilkesburg, Pa.

Supt. of Schools, Mr. Merrill, from Mexico was in town Tuesday visiting the high school.

L. R. Hall is working up his wood this week at his home, South Andover.

Mrs. Bessie Hastings has been suffering from a severe cold.

Fred Smith has been quite ill with a bronchial trouble.

There was a meeting of the Andover school committee, Monday evening.

Wayne York of Errol, N. H., has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Will Harris.

Not much maple honey has been made yet.

Laura McMullen, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Margaret Hall, has returned to her home in Massachusetts.

Cecil Sweet and Lester Thurston have returned to their studies at the U. of M.

The Ladies' Aid met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. C. A. Rand.

Mrs. Joel Morton is in poor health. The selectmen were in session at their office, Tuesday, April 1st.

The committee of the Red Cross received a large quantity of shoes and clothing in their drive which they packed Monday for the Belgian refugees.

The Ancient and Honorable Whist Club met Saturday evening at the home of C. A. Rand. Dainty refreshments were served.

STATE OF MAINE

Oxford, ss.

At a Probate Court held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the eighteenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

ORDERED, that from and after this day, the regular terms of the Courts of Probate in and for the County of Oxford be held at the following places and times, to wit:

At South Paris on the third Tuesday of each month except August. At Rumford on the fourth Tuesday of February, May and August and on the first Tuesday of November.

Special Courts will be ordered for Fyfeburg as the business may require.

ADDISON E. HERRICK, Judge of Probate.

A true copy—Attest: ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

Elliot of Washington street. On Tuesday evening a "fasting party" was given at the Universalist church in honor of Mrs. Toller, when a very jolly time was enjoyed.

While Stephens High basketball team claims the championship in Maine, County High of Augusta disputes the claim, and is ready to settle the question in three games, one to be played in Augusta, one in the played in Rumford, and the third to be played on any neutral floor in the State. But this cannot seem to be arranged, as the Rumford High team or Stephens High team of Rumford does not now exist, they having closed their season as a high school team, and now represent the Massachusetts Institute of this town, and the deciding game for championship would have to be played under the name of a high school team. This leaves the matter in a very unsatisfactory condition, and it would seem as though it would really be well to take measures if possible whereby a game might be arranged, to settle the matter once for all in the minds of all interested.

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PROBATE NOTICES

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nineteen. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of April, A. D. 1919, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

John K. Wheeler late of Albany, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Florence S. Bana, formerly Florence S. Wheeler as executrix of the same, to act without bond as expressed in said will, presented by said Florence S. Bana, the executrix thereto named.

John Porter late of Andover, deceased; final account presented for allowance by Aretas E. Stearns, administrator.

Abbie A. Sanborn late of Bethel, deceased; first account presented for allowance by Ellery C. Park, executor.

Kate M. Coolidge late of Upton, deceased; first account presented for allowance by Scott A. Coolidge, administrator.

Abbie A. Sanborn late of Bethel, deceased; petition for determination of collateral inheritance tax presented by Ellery C. Park, executor.

Mary E. Brown late of Bethel, deceased; petition for license to sell and convey real estate presented by Ellery C. Park, executor.

Charles F. Abbott late of Bethel, deceased; petition for appointment of Stephen E. Abbott as administrator of the estate of said deceased, to act without bond, presented by said Stephen E. Abbott and Sarah M. Abbott, children and heirs.

William E. Dresser late of Canton, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Ralph E. Fuller and Ada F. Curtis as executors of the same, to act without bonds, as expressed in said will, presented by said Ralph E. Fuller and Ada F. Curtis, the executors therein named.

Witness, ADDISON E. HERRICK, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

A. D. PARK, Register.

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Owen Lovely of Andover in the County of Oxford, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are requested to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

OLIE I. LOVEJOY, March 18, 1919. Andover, Maine.

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the last will and testament of Charles H. Abbott late of Rumford in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

LUCY K. ABBOTT, Rumford, Maine. February 18th, 1919. 3-20-31.

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Irving D. Lambert late of Peru in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

WINNIE M. VAUGHN, March 18, 1919. Peru, Maine.

WEST PARIS

The senior parts of the West Paris High School were announced Monday morning as follows:

Valdatory—Edith Stevens. Salutatory—Sherman Billings. Class Oration—Frank Packard. Essay—George Metcalf.

Prophecy and presentation of gifts—Marjorie McAllister.

Prof. H. W. Brown of Colby College gave a lecture—Unprized Things—at the Universalist church Thursday evening, under the auspices of West Paris High School. Prof. Brown is an able speaker and the church was well filled.

Mrs. Elmora Richardson and Mrs. Oscar Putnam have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Churchill.

There will be a special meeting of West Paris Grange, Saturday, April 5. The third and fourth degrees will be conferred on candidates. The meeting is called at 10 o'clock. Members of Pleasant Pond Grange of West Sumner are invited guests. Rufus Webb of Falmouth, a prominent railroad man, will be the speaker of the day. The meeting will be open to the public in the afternoon.

West Paris Grange has accepted an invitation to visit Norway Grange, Saturday, April 12, and work the third and fourth degrees.

Mrs. F. S. Farnum has returned home after attending the city millinery openings.

Miss Clara Bacon is at home from teaching at Farmington for the vacation, and Misses Grace Brock and Mildred Davis from Farmington Normal.

Miss Agnes Gray is reported doing well after her recent operation at Dr. Fife's private hospital at Woodford.

Schools closed for a recess of one week and the teachers went to their homes.

George H. Dunham is very ill at the home of his sister, Mrs. Martha Dunham.

Bertha Swift of Sumner was a guest Thursday and Friday of Mildred Davis.

Mrs. Abner Mann, who recently fractured a bone of her ankle, is receiving treatment at Norway.

Rev. E. S. Ufford spoke at the Universalist church Sunday evening in the interest of the Jubilee Drive of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. The audience was small owing to the heavy storm. Consequently Dr. Ufford spoke again Monday evening at the M. E. Chapel to a good sized audience.

He sang the familiar hymn, "Throw Out the Life Line," of which he is the author, each evening.

Rev. H. A. Markley was in Auburn, Monday, to attend a meeting of the Maine Universalist ministers. Mrs. Markley accompanied him.

Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Wheeler were called to Oakland, Friday, by the serious illness of the doctor's father, who passed away and the funeral was held Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hill are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, March 30, weighing 9 pounds.

Mrs. William Gray of South Paris was the guest of her son, Dexter W. Gray, Thursday.

Dr. Thayer of Portland was here Monday to see Mrs. Lendall Yates, who has been very ill for several months.

George Tuell has hired Mrs. Elsie Hammond's farm on the North Paris road, and gone to housekeeping. Mrs. Swift of South Paris is keeping his house. Mrs. Swift has her young daughter with her and Margaret Tuell has gone to live with her father.

Mrs. Elsie Pike was given a variety shower, Tuesday afternoon. There was a good number of young people out and the pretty and useful gifts expressed the good wishes of Mr. and Mrs. Pike's many friends.

Mrs. Fannie Bowker of Portland is the guest of relatives.

WEST BETHEL

The school closed Friday for a vacation of one week, then the teacher, Miss Frost, will return for the next term of twelve weeks.

Elbert Briggs of South Paris was in town last week.

W. D. Mills was in Berlin and Gorham quite recently.

Mrs. J. E. Pike is in very poor health this spring; her niece Miss Dix of Newton, Mass., has been to see her.

Mrs. G. D. Merrill was called to Norway by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. C. J. Bell, who went to the hospital.

Mrs. Stella Goodridge was in Portland, Saturday, to visit Mr. Goodridge. Hollis Hutchinson found a spy and lively grasshopper March 27.

Carlus Hutchinson has gone to Bethel village to work in the store of Fred Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Robertson of Bethel village were up to Mrs. Frank Robb.

Miss Riva Rolfe is helping Mrs. Mabel Robertson.

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GUARDIAN'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to a license from the Honorable Judge of Probate, for the County of Oxford, I shall sell at public auction, on the seventh day of June, 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of Herrick & Park, in Bethel, Maine, all the right, title and interest which Gertrude M. Adams has in and to the following named real estate, a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in Bethel, County of Oxford and State of Maine, and being the Virgil E. Adams farm, so called, bounded as follows, viz: north by land of Harold Hutchins and land of Harry Hutchinson, south by the town line south of said land formerly owned by Chas. A. Martin; westerly by land formerly owned by George S. McGill.

Dated this 17th day of March, 1919. LEWIS HEAVY

Guardian of Gertrude M. Adams, 3-20-31.

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Gertrude M. Adams, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

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the commission shall after reasonable notice and hearing, fix the conditions and make all rules and regulations under which such vehicles shall be operated; the commission to require a bond, the party issuing being held to pay all damages recovered against the operator or owner to not exceeding \$2,500. Each vehicle shall carry permanently attached to each side of the vehicle the number of his bond with the words "Bonded Carrier." A penalty for violation of this act is provided of not exceeding \$100 or imprisonment not exceeding 90 days for each offense.

Thursday's reports included: Appropriations and Financial Affairs—"Ought to pass in new draft" on resolve making appropriation to assist, encourage and develop the poultry industry in Maine, the new draft changing the appropriation from \$2,000 to \$1,000 annually; and same on resolve for payment of Eastern Maine State Fair premiums, reducing the amount from \$2,000 to \$1,750.

Interior Waters—"Ought to pass" on resolve for \$350 for each of 1919 and 1920 for aid of navigation on Rangeley lakes; "Ought to pass in new draft" on resolve to permit George L'Abbe to maintain a dam in Wallagrass river, the new draft giving the authority asked to a corporation.

Legal Affairs—"Ought to pass in new draft" on act amending law relating to Sunday observance by increasing the penalty to \$100 or imprisonment for not over 30 days, the new draft eliminating the imprisonment and giving municipal courts and trial justices jurisdiction.

Mercantile Affairs and Insurance—"Ought to pass in new draft" on act amending the law relating to cinematographs and moving pictures, the new draft permitting the showing of pictures in a tent or in the open air in an asbestos booth of the required construction and not less than 300 feet from any building or woods; and providing a penalty of not less than \$25 nor more than \$500, to be recovered by the city or town on indictment or complaint.

Appropriations—"Ought not to pass" on resolve amending law relating to the Department of Agriculture, and providing for the collection and examination of samples of feeding stuffs, fertilizers, insecticides, seeds, foods and drugs.

Education—"Ought not to pass" on act to provide tuition and transportation to common school pupils residing in the National Reservation of Togus, Kennebec County.

Legal Affairs—"Ought not to pass" on act to amend the law relating to cruelty to animals and on act to amend the law relating to interest on small loans; and "legislation inexpedient" on resolve proposing an amendment to the Constitution relative to absent voters.

Salaries and Fees—"Ought not to pass" on act to determine the pay of court deputies in Penobscot County and on acts amending the laws relating to the salaries of county commissioners, county attorneys and county treasurers.

Ways and Bridges—"Ought not to pass" on act to amend law relating to road patrolmen.

Appropriations—"Ought to pass in new draft" on resolve in favor of the Peoples' Ferry Co. of Bath, the new draft providing for the acquisition of the property and franchise by the State, which is to run the ferry, on or after Oct. 1, 1919 and appropriating \$10,000 therefor. The ferry is to be under charge of the Highway Commission and new and additional necessary equipment may be added.

Same committee recommended appropriations as follows: \$3,100 annually for investigation of fires; \$12,500 for use of attorney general's office; \$4,500 to enforce laws relating to dairy products; \$300 to defray expenses of an assessors' convention; \$30,000 for the Mothers' Aid law; \$5,000 for control of white pine blister rust and other pests; \$7,500 for use of Industrial Accidents Commission; \$8,000 for analysis of feeding stuffs, commercial fertilizers, etc.; \$12,500 to carry on work of Charities and Corrections.

Same committee reported "ought to pass" on act authorizing the appointment of a State pension agent.

Education—"Ought to pass in new draft" on act to provide an equalization fund for secondary schools, the new draft providing that in December the State superintendent shall recommend to the Governor and Council such amounts as he may deem advisable from this fund for the aid of such High Schools or Academies as appear to merit special assistance, for purposes of increasing the school year, improving equipment and instruction and for purposes other than new buildings. An annual appropriation of \$40,000 is made.

Legal Affairs—"Ought to pass" on act making the tenure of office of city treasurer and collector of Portland three years; and same on act providing that a judge of the supreme court or superior court may be pensioned after having served 10 years, instead of 10 consecutive years.

Salaries and Fees—"Ought to pass" on the following: Fixing salary of clerk hire in Androscoggin registry of

PEOPLE CONSTIPATED AND DON'T KNOW IT!

It seems odd, but it is true, that you may be constipated and not know it. You can see why it is. Take a glass and pour in water until full. If you keep on pouring in water after the glass is full, it will run over, but the glass stays full.

Just so with your bowels; they get full of waste matter, and then they pass off or expel from the body only about the same amount that goes into it in the form of food.

So you may have a movement of the bowels every day and yet there will remain waste matter that ought to be removed. Give your bowels a gentle but thorough cleaning out and you'll feel great. A fine prescription for this is put up and sold under the name Dr. True's Elixir. Doctors and druggists use it in their own families. Costs but little and brings health to men, women and children. Sweet and pleasant tasting. Works gently. Children like it. Remember the name, Dr. True's Elixir. Adv.

deeds at \$1,300 annually; county commissioners of Androscoggin at \$1,000; judge of Bath municipal court at \$1,500; amount of clerk hire in Lewiston municipal court at \$750.

State Prison—"Ought to pass in new draft" on resolve for improvement of State prison, the new draft appropriating \$15,000 for purchase of farms and \$50,000 for general construction and improvement of the prison, the latter sum to be available in 1920.

Final reports were made by the committees on State Prison, Indian Affairs, Interior Waters and Public Buildings and Grounds.

Friday's reports included: State Lands and Forest Preservation—Two reports were made, on act for the preservation, perpetuation and increase of the forests of Maine. The majority, "ought not to pass" was signed by Senators Ames, Emerson and Gannett and Reps. Small of Brewer, Austin, Dutton and Hammond. The minority report, "ought to pass" was signed by Reps. Granville, Crane and Cunningham of Patten.

Agriculture—"Ought to pass" on act to assist in the commercial utilization of the dog fish; same on act to require a fee for the registration of milk dealers.

Salaries and Fees—"Ought to pass" on act making the clerk of courts for Piscataquis county recorded ex officio of the Piscataquis municipal court; same on act to fix salary of assistant probation officer of Cumberland county at \$800 per year.

Agriculture—"Ought not to pass" on act to co-operate with the United States Bureau of Animal Industry for the purpose of making a tuberculin test for all cattle used for dairy, breeding or beef purposes in Maine; same on act relative to the quality of gasoline sold at retail.

Judiciary—"Ought not to pass" on the following: Act to provide town and county aid in furnishing money for the construction of Federal aid State highway; act authorizing the issue of notes not exceeding \$500,000 to defray expenses incurred for the construction of Federal aid State highways; act relating to the sale of fee for domestic purposes; act to prohibit demonstrations against the established form of government of the United States and of the State of Maine; and act relative to the quality of coal sold at retail.

Judiciary—"Ought to pass in new draft" on act creating an examining board in Osteopathy and providing for the registration of Osteopathic physicians in Maine. The new draft eliminates the right to practice any branch of osteopathy.

Salaries and Fees—"Ought not to pass" on act to increase the salary of the commissioner of agriculture; same on act increasing the fees of town clerks.

Final reports were made by the committees on State Lands and Forest Preservation, Banks and Banking, Internal Fisheries and Game and Agriculture.

THE FIDELITY AND CASUALTY CO. OF NEW YORK, 92-94 LIBERTY ST., 97-105 CHURCH ST., NEW YORK CITY

Assets Dec. 31, 1918
Real Estate, \$1,118,433.46
Collateral Loans, 45,198.78
Stocks and Bonds, 14,105,062.83
Cash in Office and Bank, 654,066.44
Agents' Balances, 138,276.15
Bills Receivable, 590.90
Interest and Rents, 17,262.86
All other Assets, 3,104,354.96
Gross Assets, \$19,273,918.18
Deduct items not admitted, 3,697,898.60
Admitted Assets, \$15,576,019.58
Liabilities Dec. 31, 1918
Net Unpaid Losses, \$5,631,681.33
Unearned Premiums, 6,728,541.23
All other Liabilities, 1,765,773.28
Cash Capital, 1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 2,250,000.00
Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$11,315,945.60

THE OXFORD INS. AGENTS, 320-31-F, Bethel, Me.

GOVERNMENT SEEDS

A letter from Congressman Wallace H. White, Jr., states that his supply of seeds for distribution is now available and packages can be obtained either by writing to him or applying at the Citizens office.

JOHN ON GUARD IN GERMANY

But He Must Be Cared For and Brought Home and the Victory Loan Billions Will Go to Pay That Bill.

Most of us in the recent weeks have heard some mother or father speak of their absent son, somewhere with the American army of occupation along the Rhine.

"John's in Germany," they say, proudly. John is standing guard out there along the front line of freedom, no longer menaced by gas bombs and shrapnel, high explosive shells or machine guns, nor any of the machinery of war.

He is enjoying, as much as one in service may, the fruits of victory. He is sleeping in the open instead of in a dug-out. He is having three meals a day instead of a snack between bombardments. He's as comfortable as it is possible for him to be and meet the demands of his duty.

Uncle Sam must pay his passage home, must see that he is safely cared for until returned.

John must be cared for in Germany; he must be taken care of when he gets back.

John and some 2,500,000 of his comrades won peace for us. Protected our liberties, kept us from enslavement and the paying of tribute, maintained the national honor.

And we must not forget the debt we owe them now. It is a debt of honor—such as the United States never yet failed to meet.

Uncle Sam needs many billions of dollars to finish his war job and to re-lavate the ailing American industries. America has a greater commercial opportunity now than ever in her history. But Uncle Sam must pave the way; must make prompt payment on delayed accounts; must finish his shipping plan.

But he cannot do this without help of all the people.

New Year's Eve, the Bill of the War stood at Twenty-two Billion dollars. Practically all that money had been raised by taxation. Since the middle of November the Government has been borrowing from the banks about \$200,000,000 a week. This will foot up over five billions by April 30.

Under the Constitution, in plain honesty, the Government must pay for every article it has bought. It must pay for the use of the equipment and capital owned by private citizens, in the service of the nation at war.

THE VICTORY LIBERTY LOAN will be used to raise money to pay just bills.

THE AMERICAN SOLDIER WHO DID NOT QUIT

Carter Glass, secretary of the treasury, copied the following note, among others, from the note book of a Red Cross nurse when he was in France:

"One boy I shall always remember. His right shoulder was practically all shot away and he had a big wound in his back and one in his left eye. But he sat straight up an wouldn't let anybody help him. He didn't say a word while they pulled off the tight clinging gauze from the red, raw, wet flesh that quivered in spite of him. When the first wound was finished," he said was:

"Do you think I could rest a minute, Doc, before you do the second one?" "Red, raw, wet flesh"—American flesh. It was not yellow. Think of that when you are asked to buy of the Victory Liberty Loan, ye who think ye have done enough.

VICTORY LOAN WILL HELP ALONG BUILDING BOOM

Statistics compiled by Bradstreet's indicate that a building boom is under way. Official reports from 35 cities show a gain of 24.2 per cent for February this year over that month last year.

Building is one of the barometers of prosperity. The boom—the real big boom which is bound to come this summer—is being held in check by the prospect of the Victory Loan. With the Victory Loan out of the way—and popularly subscribed—the banks will be in a position to open up on real estate loans and building will flourish.

TANK CORPS MOBILIZING FOR NEW ENGLAND

A tank corps of 12 units will operate in New England in the Victory Liberty Loan. They will come to Boston very early in April and will start on their tour of the six states just before the opening of the State, April 21. During Monday one of these tanks will be stationed in Rhode Island, three to Massachusetts and two each to New Hampshire, Vermont, Maine and Connecticut.

Each tank will be accompanied by a driver and a mechanic and each will be accompanied by Liberty Loan speakers. The tank has an average speed of five miles an hour and a traveling radius of forty miles from one charge of gasoline.

By the end of the three weeks' campaign of the Victory Liberty Loan, May 10, the "tanking tanks" will have brought over the greater part of the campaign.

PRINCE ALBERT
the national joy smoke

PUT a pipe in your face that's filled cheerily brimful of Prince Albert, if you're on the trail of smoke peace! For, P. A. will sing you a song of tobacco joy that will make you wish your life job was to see how much of the national joy smoke you could get away with every twenty-four hours!

You can "carry on" with Prince Albert through thick and thin. You'll be after laying down a smoke barrage that'll make the boys think of the old front line in France!

P. A. never tires your taste because it has the quality! And, let it slip into your think-tank that P. A. is made by our exclusive patented process that cuts out bite and parch—assurance that you can hit smoke-record-high-spots seven days out of every week without any comeback but real smoke joy!

R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, Winston-Salem, N. C.

THE AUTOMOBILE INS. CO. OF HARTFORD, CONN., 250 MAIN ST., Hartford, Conn.

Assets Dec. 31, 1918
Mortgage Loans, \$163,600.00
Collateral Loans, 832,175.00
Stocks and Bonds, 4,024,404.14
Cash in Office and Bank, 2,051,101.40
Agents' Balances, 1,253,107.04
Bills Receivable, 21,274.31
Interest and Rents, 70,552.75
All other Assets, 75,877.36
Gross Assets, \$9,290,752.96
Deduct items not admitted, 44,532.23
Admitted Assets, \$9,246,220.73

Liabilities Dec. 31, 1918
Net Unpaid Losses, \$1,072,424.27
Unearned Premiums, 3,203,002.36
All other Liabilities, 516,007.37
Cash Capital, 2,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 1,533,866.73

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$9,216,200.73
RUMFORD FALLS INS. AGENCY, Rumford, Maine.
MERRILL & HASTINGS, Fryeburg, Maine.
W. J. WHEELER & CO., South Paris, Maine.

THE JETNA CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY, HARTFORD, CONN.

Assets Dec. 31, 1918
Mortgage Loans, \$1,418,106.00
Collateral Loans, 906,515.05
Stocks and Bonds, 6,501,936.13
Cash in Office and Bank, 2,594,271.98
Agents' Balances, 1,533,827.01
Bills Receivable, 15,585.72
Interest and Rents, 121,240.35
All other Assets, 270,645.11
Gross Assets, \$12,738,586.83
Deduct items not admitted, 256,429.39
Admitted Assets, \$12,482,157.44

Liabilities Dec. 31, 1918
Net Unpaid Losses, \$2,997,002.49
Unearned Premiums, 3,465,160.44
All other Liabilities, 748,501.41
Cash Capital, 2,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 3,240,707.07

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$12,458,181.51
HARRIAN LONGWELL, Agent, Rumford, Maine.
MERRILL & HASTINGS, Agents, Fryeburg, Maine.
W. J. WHEELER & CO., Agents, South Paris, Maine.

NEWBY

There was a meeting of great interest at the Orange Hall last Saturday evening with a large number of members present.

Will Powers and wife are moving their goods from Magalloway where they have been working for nearly a year.

Rob Neman was at Bethel last Saturday.

The school began here March 24 under the instruction of Miss Mabel Bailey. Miss Bailey's former success as a teacher is recommendation enough.

FARM PLANNING SO AS TO GET THE MOST OUT OF THE SOIL

In order to get the most out of the soil it should be in good physical condition. The fertility must be kept up; the growth of the weeds must be controlled, and such crops must be grown as will make the best use of available

INSURANCE

All Kinds of Insurance in the Best of Companies can be had at this office. Established in August, 1865, and being, therefore, one of the oldest agencies in Oxford County, this agency is prepared to give the same careful attention to your insurance needs as has marked its career for over FIFTY YEARS. Consult us when next you have insurance to place.

STUART W. GOODWIN, Agent
SUCCESSOR TO FREEBAND HOWE
146 MAIN STREET Telephone NORWAY, MAINE

Pianos and Playerpianos.

Time was, when I'd come in the house
From feedin' stock an' doin' chores out in the barn
An' set as quiet as a mouse,
As I'd 'd tired of life an' didn't give a darn—
Till I got my player.

I'd read a paper two days old
An' set an' toast my toes close up agin the fire,
Thinkin' the night was gettin' cold,
An' mumble not an' 'dore nall time to retire—
Till I got my player.

How still the old house seemed to be!
How still an' almost ghostly-like it used to seem!
But times has changed for Ma an' me,
For now we're more to do than watch the kettle's steam—
Sense we got our player.

I reckon—now when I come in
I never stop to wonder what I'm goin' to do;
I wash up quick, an' eat like a star,
Ma sez, "Lan' sakes, what's my Old Hiram comin' to—
Sense he's got his player!"

I never seem to get enough
Of Old Blue Joe an' Stars an' Stripes or Mockin' Bird.
An' when I play the "high toned" stuff,
Ma sez it's just the finest that she's ever heard—
Comin' from my player.

So—if you want to kill the blues
An' keep old age from comin' on too dog-gone fast,
Here's just the medicine to use—
You'll find each day a little brighter than the last,
When you've got a player.

W. J. WHEELER & CO.
SOUTH PARIS, MAINE

WEEDS AND FERTILITY

Weeds sap the fertility of a soil at a time when the plants need it the most. The growth of weeds reduces the value to be obtained from crop land. Summer tillage, careful cultivation, hoeing and spraying should be given in order to conserve fertility and prevent loss.

Crops vary in the feeding depth of their roots. Some, like oats and the grasses, have short roots, while potatoes and corn feed deeper. In order therefore to best use the available fertility of any soil different crops should be grown upon it in regular succession.

In order to continue the desired condition, a definite cropping system should be adopted for the farm, either as a whole or in part. This would allow for a regular application of manure, would kill perennial weeds and allow a variety of crops for the season.

Mr J. E. Jones

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